

WEATHER For Kentucky
Saturday, increasing cloudiness

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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Speaking of the snow note, the city overlooked the beam in its own crossings.

German troops are said to be preparing to invade Switzerland to flank the French in Alsace.

The peace party in Germany has given way to one clamoring for unrestricted submarine warfare.

It is getting about time for that Chicago egg corner to be broken. The time limit of Weitz is up next week and the pullets are beginning to lay.

Admiral Dewey's funeral services today, will be one of the most impressive demonstrations of national affection and honor ever accorded in American history.

Commissioner of Roads Rodman Wiley is expected to visit Hopkinsville soon to make an address on the new Federal aid law, under which Kentucky will get \$95,000 this year.

The Leak Probe will be resumed Monday, with Mrs. Ruth Visconti, a newspaper woman, as the first witness. Sherman L. Whipple, a Boston lawyer and Democrat, will act as counsel.

"Comet B 1916," is due to appear next spring, blazing forth night after night with its tail sweeping an immense arc through the heavens. It is now approaching the earth at the rate of 1,000,000 miles a day.

At Henderson this week one lot of unfired leaf tobacco sold at \$23. Burley at Maysville sold for \$26, at Shelbyville one lot went to \$33, at Mt. Sterling \$38 was the top and at Flemingsburg two baskets brought \$39 and \$45 per hundred.

John M. Couch, aged 40, when his attentions to his divorced wife's sister, Miss Nellie M. Dunn, a school teacher, were spurned, went to the girl's class room and shot her to death and then going to the studio of her lover, R. D. Williams, killed him in the same way, at Oklahoma City.

Change of the name of the Danish West Indies to "The Dewey Islands" in honor of Admiral Dewey was proposed in a joint resolution by Representative Allen, of Ohio, who announced that he was submitting letters to President Wilson and to the foreign affairs committees of congress urging the change. The islands came under the flag the day Admiral Dewey died.

ASHMORE-GALLOWAY.

Lawson B. Ashmore and Miss Verne Galloway, young people of Hopkins county, were married here Thursday morning. Judge Knight officiated.

Cad Bennett Dead.

Many Kentucky friends will regret to learn of the recent death of "Cad" Bennett, a former brilliant young Kentuckian, at his home in Oklahoma City. Young Bennett was a son of the late Judge Caswell Bennett, who died while a member of the Court of Appeals from this district. He was a brilliant young fellow, but was wild when he grew up and caused his father more or less trouble. He finally settled down and went to Oklahoma, where he became quite prominent as an attorney and was fast becoming one of the leading citizens of that state. Hon. Lee Cruise, who recently retired from the Governorship of Oklahoma, was an uncle. —Cádiz Record.

Eagar To Return.

Clarksville, Tenn., Jan. 19.—R. Dunzelmann, former tobacco buyer and resident of Clarksville, but now a prisoner of war at Kuockaloe, Camp Peele, Isle of Man, writes that he is receiving good treatment at the prison and that he hopes the war will soon be over so that he can return to Clarksville. The letter bore the stamp of the prison.

ESTILL COUNTY
OIL WELLS

Have Made a Fabulous Fortune For A Poor Prospector.

OWNS 100 FINE WELLS

That Have a Value of \$3,000,000 to \$4,000,000.

M. E. Williams, an old man 72 years of age, is the principal owner of the Estill county oil fields and has made millions in one year. Mrs. Harry Stice, his widowed daughter, is his chief business assistant.

At a time in life when most men are about ready to settle their account with Father Time, Williams drifted into Irvine. He was an experienced oil operator, one who knew both how to lose and gain, for fortune had lured him in his time to oil fields in many sections of the country and had treated him in devious ways once she had enthused him with "oilitis."

But Williams came to Irvine without a soul so to speak. He tramped through all of the nearby hills, decided a golden stream of oil would flow if the hillsides of Estill county were drilled in the right spot and then went to his old home at Bowling Green, Mo., to borrow enough money to finance his operations. His reputation was fourteen-karat good and W. S. Raydure, a wealthy oil operator of Bowling Green, who controls extensive holdings in Texas and Oklahoma oil fields, was persuaded to "stake" Williams on a fifty-fifty basis.

Between Ticky Fork and Cow Creek in this county there lies 40,000 acres of mountain land known as the old Maple tract, and Williams leased for \$10,000 the oil rights on 200 acres of this land. He sank one well at the cost of \$500 and found nothing. The day drilling operators informed Williams his first well was a duster the operator sat down on the steps of the River View Hotel, it is said, and dried with a handkerchief tears that trickled down wrinkles in his cheeks.

That was a few days more than a year ago. Since that time Williams has drilled more than a hundred wells on his properties and found a golden treasure of crude oil at the bottom of every one of them. He has leased during that time many other acres of wooded "wildcat" territory and his holdings now are worth millions.

It is difficult for a layman to appreciate the value of an oil well. When you go to figuring what a man in this section is worth dollars and figures roll up with such alarming rapidity that one is stunned. In Oklahoma and other midcontinent oil fields wells usually are sold on the basis of \$1,000 per barrel production. That is, if an operator brings in a well with a daily flow of fifty barrels the market price of his "hole in the ground" is about \$50,000. But Kentucky oil sells at a higher price than the Oklahoma product, and it isn't so hard to get to the oil here because of the shallowness of the wells. According to theory, then, Irvine wells should easily sell for \$1,000 per barrel production.

Williams & Raydure own at least a hundred wells and the average production in these wells is estimated at seventy-five barrels per day. Figure it out then—an average daily production of 7,500 barrels of crude oil at \$1,000 a barrel market value and these two men own holdings worth \$7,500,000. Williams' half interest is somewhere between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000, then, and he has amassed this fortune in oil holdings within twelve or fifteen months.

Williams now is living at Ravenna about two miles south of Irvine, and rarely goes into the oil field in the hills about here. In his stead the daughter, with a riding habit, and a habit of riding, makes the rounds of his wells.

COMPANY D
ORDERED HOME

Three Companies Will Come Home At Once For Duty.

REQUEST OF GOVERNOR.

Louisville, Frankfort, Hopkinsville Guards To Leave The Border At Once.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 17.—Three companies of the Kentucky National Guard have been ordered home from the border by the War Department. Adj. Gen. J. Tandy Ellis was notified Wednesday evening. They are A Company First Regiment, Louisville; L Company, Second Regiment, Frankfort, and D Company Hopkinsville, of the Third Regiment. The order is for them to start immediately.

Following the trouble at Murray, when it was learned that no provisional militia could be organized to preserve the peace in such emergency, Gen. Ellis was instructed by Gov. Stanley to request the War Department to send home companies to be stationed at strategic points in the State.

The telegram from Secretary of War Baker said Gen. Funston had been directed to return to Kentucky at once the three companies requested. The Hopkinsville company will be available in case troops are needed to protect the Circuit Court during the trial of the negro at Murray. The Frankfort troops may be needed here during the reconstruction of the burned cellhouse at the Reformatory. In addition to these needs the Governor and Adj. Gen. Ellis considered it safer to have at least one company from each regiment in the three sections of the State at railroad points where they can be quickly mobilized and hurried to any place on short notice.

BRICE P. BOYD
PASSES AWAY

Popular Citizen Dies In City After An Illness Of Long Duration.

Brice P. Boyd died Thursday afternoon at his home on East Seventh St., of a complication of diseases. Mr. Boyd had been in poor health for a year or more and his decline in the past few months had been steady. He was a widower, his wife having died several years ago. He was 41 years old. One son, R. Boyd, and several brothers and sisters survive. The deceased was a son of the late George H. Boyd, and was born a few miles north of Cracoe. He was a member of the Baptist Church and a most excellent citizen, held in the highest esteem by every one who knew him. Funeral services were held at the residence at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon and the interment took place in Riverside Cemetery.

DR. HARNED
ELECTED

Again as Secretary of The Board of Health.

The new Board of Health has re-elected Dr. J. W. Harned as Health Officer of the city for six months, at the old salary of \$200 a year, but recommended an increase to \$600. Dr. Harned has filled this position acceptably for ten years and was re-elected by unanimous vote.

Quick Work By Law.

McDonough, Ga., Jan. 19.—Harris Sutton, 16-year-old negro, convicted of assaulting a 10-year-old white girl December 3, was banged here January 12.

BITTEN BY
A MAD COLT

Nobie Sims, a Fairview Farmer, Has Thrilling Experience.

HYDROPHOBIA IS FEARED

Animal's Head Sent to Bowling Green For Expert Analysis of Brain.

Nobie Sims, a farmer on the Elkton pike, nine miles from town, was bitten by a colt that he was leading to water a few days ago. The colt on seeing the water was thrown into convulsions and attacked Sims, biting him on the arm and back, badly lacerating him. The animal continued to have convulsions and soon afterwards died. The head was sent to Bowling Green for examination for hydrophobia. Sims has been awaiting impatiently for a report, to decide whether he would go himself. He was preparing to go any day.

PRICES GO
HIGHER YET

Tobacco Business Still Active in Spite of Snow And Ice.

The bad weather cut down tobacco receipts to something more than half a million pounds this week. Prices again soared above the season's average and the season's receipts are now far ahead of the corresponding receipts last year on the loose floors.

LOOSE FLOORS.

Week Ending, Jan. 18, 1917.
Sales for week..... 530,187 lbs.
Sales for season..... 2,659,852 lbs.
Sales this date, 1916..... 1,474,040 lbs.
Average for this week..... \$10.61
Average for this season..... \$10.34

Quotations are as follows:
Trash \$8.50 to \$9.50.
Com Lugs \$9.25 to \$9.50
Med Lugs \$9.50 to \$10.00
Good Lugs \$10.00 to \$10.50
Fine Lugs \$10.50 to \$11.50
Low Leaf \$10.25 to \$11.00
Com Leaf \$11.00 to \$11.50
Medium Leaf \$11.50 to \$12.00
Good Leaf \$12.00 to \$14.00
Fine Leaf \$14.00 to \$17.00

H. H. ABERNATHY,
Secretary.

COAL MINER
IS KILLED

By An Explosion In The Mine At Old Petersburg, Kentucky.

Joseph Ford, a miner at the old Petersburg mines, northwest of Crofton, was fatally burned last Monday by an explosion of powder in the mines. He lived until the following morning when he died.

He was at work alone in one of the rooms and made a shot, which set off a keg containing some powder in the room. The explosion caused so much coal to be dislodged that it took an hour and a half to rescue him.

He was 60 years old and leaves a family.

PURELY PERSONAL

Mrs. Edgar Bradshaw is quite sick at her home on East 18th street, suffering from pleurisy and the grip.

Mrs. Ed Reynolds, of Julien, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Edgar Bradshaw who has been ill for several days.

Mrs. Ernest Coleman has gone to Birmingham, Ala., for a visit to friends.

STOP ADVANCE
INTO RUMANIA

Teutonic Allies Forces Come to a Standstill—Russians Shelling Tultcha.

BRITISH ON OFFENSIVE

And Have Made Further Gains On the Western Front.

The advance of the Teutonic allies in Rumania apparently has been brought to a standstill. In the latest Berlin official communication the only successes reported for the invaders were gained through a surprise attack between the Suchitza and Putna valleys where the army of Archduke Joseph captured an officer, 230 men and one machine gun from a hostile position and south of the Oituz road, where a strong Russian attack was repulsed with artillery and machine gun fire.

On the other hand, the Rumanians put down a German attack south of Monestiar-Kachinul on the Kasino river, and southwest of Pralea, surrounded a German position and captured a large number of men and four machine guns.

The Russians are shelling the towns of Tultcha and Isakcha, across the Danube in Dobruja, while the Bulgarian guns are active against hostile shipping and military positions near Galatz and Isakcha.

On the Russian front and in Galicia there has been violent artillery activity and minor fights between raiding parties at isolated points. Near Smorgan the Russians have carried out successful raids and sniping operations, according to Petrograd.

In the region of Krashin a Russian force entered a German position but later was driven out.

The British in France have further extended their gains of Wednesday near Beaumont-Sur-Ancre.

DIED AT HOME
OF DAUGHTER

Aged Mother of Mrs. L. McFarland Blakemore Passes Away.

Mrs. Lucy Virginia Blanton McFarland, widow of John C. McFarland, died Thursday night at the home of her mother, Mrs. L. McFarland Blakemore, in this city. She was born at Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 1, 1832, a daughter of Harrison and Elizabeth Dudley Blanton. Her married life was spent in Yazoo City, Miss., and her body was sent there for interment yesterday. Mrs. McFarland lived many years in New Orleans, but for three and a half years had made her home here. She was a member of Dr. Palmer's church (Presbyterian) in New Orleans. Besides her daughter here, she is survived by one son, Frank T. McFarland, of New Orleans.

SOME FINES
IMPOSED

Upon Property Owners Who Ignored The Snow Ordinance.

There were a number of prosecutions in the city court Thursday and yesterday of citizens who failed to comply with the snow ordinance. Some fines of \$3 was imposed, but where efforts were made to clean off at least a part of the snow, the offenders were as a rule let off with a promise to do better next time.

Dr. L. A. Tate, Mrs. Tate and Miss Ella Schmidt left Thursday night for Florida.

TREATIES
WILL NOT DO

Allies, In Supplementary Note Say Durable Peace Depends on Their Success.

NO REGARD FOR TREATIES

Aggression Must Be Abandoned, Causes of Unrest Removed.

Washington, Jan. 19.—The entente allies, in a note addressed by Arthur Balfour, British foreign minister, to Ambassador Spring-Rice and delivered to the state department, amplify their reply to President Wilson's peace note by explaining in detail why they believe it impossible at present to attain a peace which will insure them such guarantees as they consider essential. The note explains why the allies demand an expulsion of Turkey from Europe; restoration of Alsace-Lorraine to France, of Italia Irredenta to Italy and the other territorial changes set forth.

LESSON RECENT HISTORY.

Those who think the future peace of the world may be insured by international treaties and international laws, the note says, have ill-learned the lessons taught by recent history. After charging that German influence in Turkey had resulted in conditions as barbarous and more aggressive than were known under Sultan Abdul Hamid, and that it had been shown Germany cannot be expected to respect treaty obligations, Mr. Balfour says:

"So long as Germany remains the Germany which, without a shadow of justification, overran and barbarously ill-treated a country it was pledged to defend, no state can regard its rights as secure if they have no better protection than a solemn treaty."

Asserting that Belgium was not Germany's only victim and that "neutrals were intended to note outrages which accompanied its conquest," the note recited, "the reign of terror attendant on Germany's method of warfare," and in that connection says:

"The war staffs of the central powers are well content to horrify the world, if at the same time they can terrorize it."

THREE PEACE CONDITIONS.

"The people of Great Britain," Mr. Balfour says, "Share President Wilson's desire for peace, but do not believe it can be durable unless based on the success of the allied cause. Such a peace, it is argued, cannot be expected unless these three conditions are fulfilled: Existing causes of international unrest shall be as far as possible removed or weakened; the aggressive aims and the unscrupulous methods of the central power shall fall into disrepute among the peoples and finally, that based on international law and behind treaty arrangements for preventing continuing hostilities, some form of international sanction should be established which would give pause to the most aggressive."

It is recognized that these conditions may be difficult of fulfillment, but the belief is expressed that they are in general harmony with President Wilson's ideas. The note declares confidence that so far as Europe is concerned, none of the conditions can be satisfied, even imperfectly, unless peace is secured on the general lines indicated by the allies joint note.

TAX SUPERVISORS.

The County Board of Tax Supervisors, will resume its sessions Monday to hear complaints. Its members are: Malcolm C. Lunderman, Chairman, M. O. Kimerling, J. E. ... J. J. Reed, David Capps.

New Rural Route.

Rural route No. 1 has been established February 1, out of Golden Pond, Trigg county, serving ... families.

SEEK MEASURE OF SAFETY

Time Card

TRAINS GOING NORTH

s. 53 and 55 make direct con-
on at Guthrie for Louisville,
nnati and all points north and
thereof.

N. CHANDLER, Ticket Agent.

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In this age of rapid transportation, with automobile and trolley cars racing in speed with the railroads, and with the great congestion in our popular cities, it is not surprising that one person in every half dozen suffers from an accident every year, nor is it surprising, in view of this fact, that accident insurance has become more popular in the United States than in any other country in the world. Hermit writes in *Leslie's*. Some of the largest concerns make a specialty of different forms of accident and disability insurance with policies ranging in cost from about 20 cents a week and upward, according to the liability involved. An accident policy can be had that will not only provide the payment of a weekly sum during disability, but also yield a life insurance benefit and promote other attractive features. Considering the amount of traveling we do in the United States every thoughtful person should have an accident policy as well as a life policy. Life insurance is objected to by some on the ground that "one must die to win," but an accident policy gives the beneficiary the benefit when he needs it the most. There is every reason, therefore, for the unexampled growth of the accident insurance business in this country. It promises to extend much further.

EXACTLY.



Josh—The snow is quite comprehensive.
Bosh—Meaning what?
Josh—It covers the ground.

A POSE, MAYBE.

"It's a remarkable fact," said the professor, "that the difference of only a few hundred miles in Europe often makes the language of people unintelligible to their nearest neighbors."

"Whereas a Californian can easily be understood by a New Yorker."

"That used to be the case, but since the presidential election, New Yorkers swear they can't understand the Californians."

DISCOVERY.

"Exploration doesn't seem to do much good nowadays," commented Mrs. McGudley.

"Why, some explorers have discovered wonderful places."

"Yes. But as soon as they are discovered they seem to lose track of them and they have to be discovered all over again."

ALL NAMED TOMMY.

"I'm afraid Mrs. Dobsonby is not keeping up with the war news."
"No?"

"Only the other day I discovered her saying to Mrs. Flibberton that the Atkins family in England must have a great many sons at the front."

TOO MANY.

"Well, what about the election?"
 "I guessed wrong. For me it meant many unhappy returns."—
 Louisville Courier-Journal.

NATURALLY.

is the principle

"To make every shot tell on the enemy."

MODEST.

She—That scar on your head must be very annoying.
He—Oh, it's next to nothing.—
Columbia Jester.

GOOD THEORY.

"Don't you believe in the theory of the helping hand?"

"Yes, if it's been dealt to your partner at bridge whist."

THE KENTUCKIAN FOR 1917

The Kentuckian on Jan. 1, 1917, rounds out its 38th year. Under normal conditions the year 1916 would have been a year of unusual prosperity, but as the public is aware the exorbitant and unprecedented price charged for News Print Paper cut a deep hole in the profits of all newspapers and many unable to stand losses were put out of business. The Kentuckian enters the new year with print paper that cost \$54 ton at this time last year now costing about \$140 for the same amount of paper not as good. How long these conditions will continue cannot be foretold.

Many newspapers have advanced rates but in order that the circulation may not be lessened by a higher price the Kentuckian will still be sent for \$2.00 a year, the old price. It will be necessary though to adhere rigidly to the cash system, since more than \$1.00 must be paid in advance for the paper upon which we print 156 papers and the cost of printing leaves but little profit out of the second dollar. We are asking our old subscribers to stand by us in this crisis by renewing promptly. Advertisers will also be asked to pay a slightly higher rate for space, which is all a newspaper has to sell outside of its subscriptions. We trust the advertising public will see the reasonableness of this step.

All papers not paid for will be Stopped. Don't Let Yours Stop.

The Price Will be the same as heretofore,

\$2.00 A YEAR

Hopkinsville Kentuckian

Institutional Treatment of Tuberculosis

means that the patient is given constant attention; that the regime which is found to be best adapted to the case is rigidly adhered to; that a resident physician is at hand all of the time, studying the case and adapting the treatment to it; that nursing service is the best. All of these things mean improvement, greater comfort and possible recovery. Hazelwood is operated without profit by the Louisville Anti-Tuberculosis Association. Rates \$12.50 a week. Write for detailed information.

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J. C. JOHNSON

Radford & Johnson REAL ESTATE

Forbes Office Building, Corner Main and Eleventh Streets.
Hopkinsville, Ky.
Phone 244

Good Salesmen.

The efficient salesman is a man who can get a job—probably a better one from a financial standpoint than you can give him. The production man, with his tendency to stricter discipline and his idea of fixity of wages, rarely understands the more temperamental and emotional sales type. The salesman demands a looser rein than the toolmaker, the laborer and the office clerk. The salesman gets it, because he can go where he can have it.—Industrial Management.

Making Him Take Exercise.

"You say my husband needs exercise, but he won't take any, and I don't know how to make him," said a woman plaintively. "Is there any way in which we can force him to exercise?" "Did you ever try, on windy days, making him wear a hat that will be sure to blow off?" asked the doctor.—Buffalo Express.

WHEN YOU FEEL THE NEED

Of extra heat these winter evenings and early mornings investigate the use of Gas through our simple, cheap and efficient Heaters.

ASK ANY HOT SPOT USER
YOU'LL FIND THEM

Kentucky Public Service Co.
INCORPORATED.

ORCHARD GLEANINGS

PROFIT FROM HOME ORCHARD

Good Returns Can Be Obtained by Paying Attention at Proper Time—Won't Stand Neglect.

That the average home orchard is a liability rather than an asset is a thing much to be regretted. However, this is true, for some orchards are too much neglected to produce even a good home supply of fruit. Such an orchard occupies valuable farm land on which it pays neither taxes nor interest on the money invested. The orchard is not at fault, it is the owner. If a grain crop or bunch of live stock was neglected it would return even less than a neglected orchard. But with attention at the proper time the orchard, like the grain crop or live stock, will yield good returns. The experimental work conducted for a number of years at Purdue has demonstrated that orchards can be made paying investments.

The net profits of a properly managed orchard will average \$126.34 per acre every year. These results may be obtained from the average neglected farm orchard. Every farm should have an orchard, but it should not be so large as to demand more attention than the owner can give it. If proper attention cannot be given the fruit trees it is better that they be cut down and the space they occupy be given to other crops.

INJURY BY RED APPLE BUGS

Comparatively New Pest, But Has Done Enormous Amount of Damage in New York Orchards.

The apple red bug is a comparatively new pest, but it has done an enormous amount of damage in apple orchards in many parts of New York for the past two or three seasons. It is not often seen, but the results of its work are all too apparent at picking time, when the fruit is found to be more or less deformed so that it will not pass for "A" grade. The injury is caused by punctures which the insect makes in young apples in order to suck out the juice. The tissue does not develop normally around these punctures and a slight depression is left in the fruit. A small, greenish



New York Apple Orchard.

core may also be seen when cutting across one of these depressions, of which there may be as many as 100 on a single apple. The Northern Spy seems to be especially subject to attack by this insect.

The remedy is to spray with some contact insecticide, when the insects are present and before they begin to work on the young fruit. Experiment stations agree that a tobacco extract is effective in controlling this insect.

KEROSENE MADE INTO SPRAY

Hard or Soft Soap and Boiling Water, With Oil Added as Desired, Favorable for Aphides.

Dissolve half a pound of hard soap or one quart of soft soap in one gallon of boiling water. Add two gallons of kerosene and churn with a force pump by pumping it back and forth for five or ten minutes until the oil is thoroughly emulsified, forming a creamy mass with no drop of oil visible. This stock emulsion may be diluted to contain the desired per cent of kerosene.

For aphides one part of stock solution should be mixed with from ten to fifteen parts of water, giving from four to six per cent kerosene in the spray.

PLANTS OF EXPERIENCED MEN

Buy Only Standard Varieties Which Have Done Well in the Past—Beware of Fake Nursery Agents.

Experienced fruit growers buy only the standard varieties which have been tested and have done well in their vicinity. They experiment only in the smallest way with novelties. They are never caught by fake nursery agents. They deal only with salesmen and nurseries certified to by the state as dealing in nursery stock that is free from insect and fungous pests.

Just Half in Bed

Clyde, Ky.—Mrs. L. A. Decker: "I recommend Cardui, the woman's tonic to any woman in need of a remedy. For five years, I was unable to do my own work. Half my time was spent in bed. At last I tried Cardui. Now I am well and happy, and can do my own work. Don't suffer from headache, backache, and other womanly miseries, when your Cardui gets on his shelf a remedy for such troubles—Cardui. For a bottle for yourself. As a general tonic, for weak women, nothing has been found for 50 years that would take its place. Try it. It will help you—Advertisment.

On Honeymoon 31 Years.

Logansport, Ind., Jan. 17.—Thirty-one years ago Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hughes planned their honeymoon. They are now carrying out their plans. Both then lived in the little town of Wolcott. They were engaged, but quarreled and parted. Both married, and the mate of each died. Recently Mr. Hughes renewed his thirty-one-year-old courtship, and the pair are now honeymooning in Oklahoma.

TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS REWARD

for return, or information leading to recovery of Shepherd dog which strayed from the neighborhood of Pembroke, Ky., probably towards Shelbyville, Ky. Dark yellow color, some black on back, white paws, muzzle and breast, white lock on back of neck. Answer to name of Oscar. Address, A. F. ARMSTRONG, Care W. T. BECKHAM, Shelbyville, Ky.

Why a Ship Floats.

No. 1.—A ship floats on top of the water because that part of it beneath the surface is placed as much water as the ship weighs. If the volume of water so displaced was lighter than the ship, the latter would sink. It is a principle of nature that lighter things pass above those of greater weight.

Economy in Intense Heat.

Spraying of pulverized coal into the fire boxes of steamship boilers by a new method produces such intense heat that the ashes literally are melted and run down out of the way.

Optimistic Thought.

A hundred years of fretting will not pay a single cent of debt.

AT THE CHURCHES.

Strangers in the city and the public are cordially invited to all services at the following churches:

Cumberland Presbyterian Church. J. B. Eshman, Pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Christian Endeavor 6:30. Preaching at 7:30 p. m.

First Presbyterian Church—Sunday School—9:30 a. m. Morning Service 11:00 a. m. Evening Service 7:30. Christian Endeavor—7:00 p. m. Weekly Prayer Meeting Wednesday—7:30 p. m.

First Baptist Church—Rev. C. M. Thompson, Pastor. Services as usual. Sunday School—9:30 a. m. Morning Service—11:00 a. m. Evening Service—7:30 p. m.

Second Baptist Church—Rev. W. R. Goodman, Pastor. Sunday School—9:30 a. m. Preaching—11 a. m. Preaching—7:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U. 6:30 P. M. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night—7:30 p. m.

Westminster Presbyterian Church Sunday School—9:30 a. m. Men's Bible Class—10:00 a. m. Morning Service—11:45 a. m. Evening Services 7:30 p. m.

Grace Church—Rev. Geo. C. Abbott, Rector. Morning prayer and sermon at 8:45. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.

Why Veins Look Blue.

It is a peculiar fact that the veins on the hand or other surface portions of the body look blue to the eye, whereas the blood is red. This is because we see the light reflected back to our eyes from this blood through the walls of the veins, which give it a bluish tinge.

We Want Walnut Logs

Highest Cash Prices Paid

If you have any good Black Walnut timber on your place which you would like to convert into spot cash at the highest market price, write at once stating number, size and thickness of logs you could furnish and at what R. R. shipping point. C. C. Menzel & Bro. Co. Inc., Louisville, Ky.

WAR! What Is It All About?



HAS the whole world gone stark mad over a very foolish and trivial question? Are swords rattling, cannon rumbling, mailed armor glistening just because Russia wanted to show her love for the little brother—Serbia? Tear aside the curtain of Europe's politics and see the grim and sinister game of chess that is being played. See upon what a slim, yet desperate, excuse the sacred lives of millions are being sacrificed. Read the history of the past one hundred years, as written by some of the greatest authorities the world has ever known, and learn the naked, shameful truth. Just to get you started as a Review of Reviews subscriber, we make you this extraordinary offer. We will give you

FREE—"Europe at War"

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Issue Statement That Calls The Courier's Assault Without Justification.

The editorial attacks on Circuit Judge C. H. Bush, who was menaced by a mob at Murray, Ky., when he refused to deliver Lube Martin, a negro, for trial, were cruel and unjust, and that Bush declined to give in under threats, is the purport of a signed statement issued by citizens of Murray. The statement, in full, follows:

Murray, Ky., Jan. 18, 1917.

We, the undersigned citizens of Murray, Ky., do hereby denounce and brand as false malicious and cruel, the attack made on Circuit Judge Charles H. Bush in the editorial which appeared in the Louisville Courier-Journal of January 12, 1917.

We know that Judge Bush did not order the return of the prisoner, Lube Martin, to save his own life or on account of personal violence to himself, or even death. We know that he did not order the prisoner returned, in obedience to the demand of the mob. The facts very briefly stated are as follows:

On the night of January 9, 1917, after it had become apparent to Judge Bush that the case could not be tried, he was apprehensive that if Martin remained in Murray until the next day, and until the order of continuance was made, he might be mobbed, and he therefore made an order that night removing him to the Hopkinsville jail, and he was accordingly removed that night. When this fact became generally known next morning a large crowd assembled and were very hostile toward Judge Bush, who tried at the court house to defend his action, but under the circumstances they would not listen; and then with the commonwealth's attorney and others went to the hotel, where he was followed by a large and infuriated crowd, demanding the return of the prisoner. Judge Bush, with a few friends entered the hotel, and time again the return of the prisoner was demanded, amid threats that the judge would be hung, killed or blown up, if he did not return Martin.

We know that Bush persistently re-

fused to order Martin returned, and time and again he would die first, and that he did not have but one time to die. We know further that time and again officers and friends of Judge Bush, not in sympathy with the mob spirit, appealed to the judge to order Martin back and save human life, and he still refused; and finally a committee, speaking for the family of the dead man, including all of his brothers, one of the spokesmen being Geo. Diuguid, again appealed to the judge to save bloodshed and human life and order Martin back, and that if he would do that and let the proper orders be made in open court in the prisoner's presence, they would guarantee absolute protection to Martin, and that George Diuguid and the other brothers and friends would help protect him and march to the train with him. It was only after all this that Judge Bush agreed to the order, and he said that if his own life was involved, he would not agree to it under any circumstances—would die first.

It was a desperate situation, and we think Judge Bush did his duty under the circumstances, and that great injustice has been done him by the papers, the Courier-Journal especially.

Con Frazier, T. H. Pey, O. B. Irvan, J. M. Innes, J. E. Owen, S. W. Bryan, J. D. Hamilton, W. E. Gilbert, Mrs. Lola Blanks Brown, L. E. Owen, Ben Grogan, R. H. Pitt, Zeph S. Conner, J. P. Holt, attorney; Wm. H. Jones, attorney; J. H. Coleman, L. C. Trevathan, circuit clerk; L. W. Keys, attorney; H. C. Branch, county clerk; R. H. Hood, attorney; A. D. Thompson, attorney; E. P. Phillips, attorney; Rainey T. Wells, attorney; E. C. K. Robertson, postmaster; Joe Lancaster, attorney.

Christian Endeavor Society.

The congress of the Christian Endeavor Societies of Hopkinsville will hold a special meeting Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

It is earnestly requested that everyone having the interest and success of the Societies at heart will attend and bring their friends, so that the "Lookout Counter" will have plenty of work to take up and to give them encouragement in a great work.

Louisville Coal Famine.

Louisville is in the grip of a coal famine and several dealers are buying in the open market in order to supply their customers. The shortage is attributed to snow hindering traffic.

Scientific Breeder.

J. Gano Johnson, wealthy cattle breeder of Montgomery county, has accepted the chair of scientific stock breeding at the University of Kentucky at a small salary.

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QUIET IN TRIGG.

Only 23 Arrests Made In Cadiz During Year 1916.

Cadiz, Ky., Jan., 19.—As an evidence of what prohibition has done for Cadiz and Trigg county, the following report of our City Marshal for 1916 is submitted: There were only twenty-three arrests made during the year, ten of these being for drunkenness. From October 10 to January 1 he only made two arrests, only one arrest being made during the entire month of December, that being on the 28th.

During the last five months of the year there were only seven prisoners placed in the county jail here, which is also used as the "lock-up" for the city, and two of these did not remain over night. Two of the other five only remained one night, while none of the other three remained over ten

days. For three months during this time there was not a prisoner in the jail.

From present indications of the docket not more than half the time allotted for the coming term of Circuit Court, which begins next Monday, will be consumed in disposing of the business.

Sec. Gooch Dead.

W. J. Gooch, secretary of the Kentucky State Fair, died at 3:41 Friday morning Jan. 12 in his room at The Seelbach, Louisville. Four physicians had been in attendance at his bedside since early Thursday morning. He was 59 and a former Speaker of the House.

Wireless 11,000 Miles.

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MARRIES JAP.

Kentucky Girl's Sister Also Wife of Evansville Jap.

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 19.—Gora Tsuchida, 28 years old, a native of Sanjo, Japan, who operates a restaurant here, and Miss Sue Brown, a pretty girl, 18 years old, living at Sebec, Ky., were married here by Magistrate Herman Tordrunk. Tsuchida announced after the ceremony he would make his wife happy, as he intended to do the cooking.

The bride was accompanied here from Kentucky by her mother. Two years ago a sister married a Japanese and the two are now living happily together in this city.

Miss Annie Trice has gone to Tampa, Fla., to spend some time.

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NO TRACE OF ARMY OFFICERS

Airplanes Scour Country in Fruitless Search—Aviators Disappeared Jan. 10.

Calxico, Cal., Jan. 17.—Army officers piloting three airplanes from the North Island aviation base at San Diego failed to find any trace today of the two lost officers, Lieut. Col. H. G. Bishop and Lieut. W. A. Roberts, jr.

Several hours were spent in fruitless search over the desert and mountain regions of Lower California and then the airplane pilots pointed their machines eastward, soared over the Colorado river, searched the mesa country and finally landed on the desert of Sonora, where the missing men were last sighted. There they replenished their gasoline tanks from a reserve supply and after a brief search two of the machines returned to the supply station at Black Butte. The third machine, piloted by Capt. Byron Q. Jones with Col. William L. Kenly as observer, returned to Calxico, where its engine was overhauled. Capt. Jones said he would resume the search with the pilots of the other airplanes tomorrow morning.

The two aviators have been lost since Jan. 10 when they started from North Island on a flight to Calxico. Civilian searchers are continuing the hunt in Lower California.

Cuba Now Stable and Prosperous.

There were many phases of the Presidential election in Cuba, on November 1, that bore close resemblance to our own contest. Four years ago President Menocal (Conservative) had been elected, chiefly by reason of a split in the Liberal Party. There had this year been strenuous efforts made to unite the factions; and Dr. Alfredo Zayas, as Presidential candidate, was actively supported by ex-President Gomez, the dominating personality in the Liberal Party. The election was close, and for some days it appeared that Zayas had been elected. On November 5, however, it was announced that the re-election of President Menocal was assured. There is a general inclination to congratulate Cuba upon the result for during the Menocal administration there has been little strife and much progress. Essentially an agricultural country, Cuba is at present enjoying general prosperity through the high price of sugar—which has tended to revive interest in agriculture and has also had a favorable influence on general business conditions. Foreign trade increased nearly 40 per cent. during 1915, with total imports and exports of \$410,000. Exports of sugar alone amounted to \$200,000,000 a year. Not only has the Cuban farmer increased his cane crop, but he receives at least one cent more per pound for raw sugar than he did a year ago. The national treasury also has benefited from "war prosperity." Economic, social and political conditions will continue to improve; and the end of President Menocal's second term should see the republic on a sound and permanent basis. —From "The Progress of the World," in the American Review of Review for December, 1916.

AMICABLY SETTLED

By H. A. SLATTENGREN.

Hank Ruffy strode out of his shack into the hot Montana sunshine. He lived alone with his son Andy. (Glancing over the sun-baked plains, he noticed something in the distance which caused him to hesitate and look more carefully. After a moment, he went back into the house and came out with a field glass. Leveling this at the thing that had interested him, he saw something that made him swear, as he lowered the glass.

"Andy," he shouted.
"Hello," came a voice from the shade of the shack.
"McLaughlin's cattle have broken into the oats again. I'm going over to give him a piece of my mind."

In a few minutes Ruffy was astride his pony, raising clouds of white alkali dust, galloping in the direction of McLaughlin's ranch.
McLaughlin was busy mending a saddle when Ruffy rode up to him and shouted a somewhat angry, "Hello, there."

"How are you, Hank? Glad to see you."

"Say, your cattle have broken into my oat field again."

"By heck! Is that so?" said McLaughlin in surprise as he arose.

"Yes, that's so, and you'd better get them out of there."

Soon several of McLaughlin's men were driving out the cattle and repairing the fence.

On the following afternoon McLaughlin noticed that some cattle were in his wheatfield. Hastily procuring his fieldglass, he saw that the cattle belonged to Ruffy.

"Ah, it for rat," he thought as he saddled his pony, mounted and rode away toward Ruffy's ranch.

When he reached Ruffy's place he found the latter lounging in his chair, smoking and reading a paper.

"Hello, McLaughlin. What's the trouble?"

"Hello, Hank. Nothing much, except that your cattle are snuffing my wheat."

"The fence they are. Darned critters anyway. Say, Andy! Andy!"

"Coming up. What you want?"

"Hurry up and get my mavericks out of McLaughlin's grain. Be sure to fix the fence for good."

"I got you."

"How about some Sunnybrook?" asked Ruffy.

"No. I don't care for any. Thanks, nevertheless. We must keep the cattle out of the grain if we want to do any threshing this fall."

"You are right," agreed Ruffy. "The next time your cattle break into my patch of choice Silver King oats, I'll ride over and shoot you up."

"The same, here!" McLaughlin shouted as his horse galloped away.

Andy was desperately in love with Alga McLaughlin, so much so, indeed, that he had saved all his money during the last two years and bought an automobile because she was very fond of motoring. Almost every evening they took a spin together over the plains.

A few days after McLaughlin had visited Ruffy in regard to the cattle, he noticed with chagrin and anger that Ruffy's cattle had again broken into his wheat field. Very angry, he got his rifle, jumped onto his already saddled pony and rode away.

At about the same time Hank Ruffy became aware of the fact that McLaughlin's cattle had again strayed into his patch of choice Silver King oats. He swore lengthily. After this psychic relief he remembered his threat, and at once decided to put it into effect.

About half way between the ranch houses McLaughlin and Ruffy met.

Ruffy shouted: "Do you remember what I said I'd do if your cattle got into my oats again?"

"Yes, and do you recall what I also said?"

"Get off your horse. I can't shoot you in cold blood."

"That's what I say. I'm quite handy with my fists."

Consequently the two slid from their steeds, slung their rifles over the saddle horns and pulled off their outer clothing. Then after a few minutes of sparring and invective they closed in on each other and engaged in a regular rough-and-tumble fight. This lasted for about five minutes.

Too tired to fight longer, they retreated to their horses and grasped their rifles. At this juncture an automobile emerged from a turn in the road and sped toward them, so before the enraged ranchers could shoot at each other Alga and Andy had driven their machine between them.

Andy spoke: "You big men are acting like a couple of kids. It's the worst I've ever heard of. Don't you think it is a ridiculous, comical scene?" he asked Alga, who had begun to thirer. She nodded and laughed outright, and he joined in until they were both convulsed with laughter.

Ruffy and McLaughlin looked at each other sheepishly until their children quieted down.

"Then Andy took Alga by the hand and said, 'She has promised to make me the happiest man in the world. You know what that means.' Forthwith he crushed her in his embrace and kissed her blushing cheeks."

Ruffy and McLaughlin sidled toward each other awkwardly and shook hands glacially while looking into the sky.

"Rain would help my oats," said Ruffy.

"My wheat also," agreed McLaughlin.

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NEW SYSTEM OF HIGHWAYS

Outlined By Commissioner of Roads Covering State of Kentucky.

SEVEN ROUTES PLANNED

And Hopkinsville Is The Important Town on Two of Them.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 19.—If not from "the Big Sandy to Mills' Point" at least from Wickliffe to Ashland, striking longitudinally through the richest part of the Purchase, Pennyrile, Bluegrass and mountains, touching the Mammoth Cave section, pasture lands and mountain resorts, is the projected route of the Federal aid highway proposed by Commissioner of Roads, Rodman Wiley, and approved by the State Sinking Fund Commission.

The main line railroads of Kentucky, for the most part, and the navigable streams within its borders run north and south as do the Dixie and Jackson highway will intersect them all and couple the ends of the Commonwealth with a continuous link of first class public roads, its lateral tentacles branching out to the north and south borders.

EAST AND WEST ROADS.

The entire system of Federal aid roads contemplates six other projects, tributary to the east and west road, so that it will have termini at Henderson, Louisville, Cumberland Gap, Covington and the West Virginia line in Pike as well as Wickliffe and Ashland.

The road, as projected, runs through the richest section of the Black Patch and touches the birthplace of Jefferson Davis; thence to the Mammoth Cave region, then up through the old Lincoln place, on into and through the Bluegrass and then, turning northwardly, strikes by the noted mountain watering places to the head of Sandy.

At several points it crosses the Dixie and Jackson ways and Midland Trail and other projects follow these routes as well as the Boone Trail part of the way.

SEVEN ROUTES.

The route of the first project is Ballard, Carlisle, Graves, Marshall, Trigg, Christian, Todd, Logan, Warren, Edmonson, Barren, Hart, Larue, Nelson, Washington, Mercer, Garrard, Jessamine, Fayette, Clark, Montgomery, Bath, Rowan, Carter and Boyd counties.

Project No. 2—Hopkinsville to Henderson, through Christian, Hopkins, Webster and Henderson.

Project No. 3—Bardstown to Louisville, through Nelson, Bullitt and Jefferson.

Project No. 4—Winchester to Whitesburg and the Virginia line, through Clark, Powell, Wolfe, Breathitt, Perry and Letcher.

Project No. 5—Lexington to Covington, through Fayette, Scott, Owen, Grant, Boone and Kenton.

Project No. 6—Lexington to Pineville and Middleshore, through Fayette, Madison, Rockcastle, Laurel, Knox and Bell.

Project No. 7—Ashland to Pineville, via Big Sandy Valley, through Boyd, Lawrence, Johnson, Floyd, Pike, Letcher, Harlan and Bell.

Daily Thought.

Mind and body are not to be separated where real beauty exists. Should there be no great intellect, there will be an intellectual instinct, a grace, an address, a naturally wise amiableness. —Leigh Hunt.

Uncle Eben's Idea.

"Some of us folks would sure be bound for glory," said Uncle Eben, "if we took our religion to heart as much as we does our politics."

Married Wife's Nurse.

Jay Morton, a Chicago millionaire, has just married Miss Margaret Gray, a trained nurse who cared for his former wife, who died 18 months ago. Since that time she had been his housekeeper.

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More fall pigs can be raised in Iowa with profit—but it is well to market them in April, says the animal husbandry department at Iowa State college.

September fall pigs rightly handled may be made to weigh better than 225 pounds, a handy, demanded weight, by April of the following year. It is being done.

A simple ration of corn, meat meal tankage and skim milk or buttermilk is excellent. Allow rock salt at free will. Feed all feeds according to the free-choice system, that is, put each in a compartment and let the pigs eat at will. Oats for fall pigs do not pay if one has plenty of meal tankage and milk or plenty of either.

With 70-cent corn the Iowa station has made gain on fall pigs for \$5.13 per hundred pounds. This compares favorably with spring pig costs.

A return of \$1.10 a bushel of corn after crediting other feeds, when hogs sell at \$8, makes a fine showing for the fall pig and for the free-choice system of swine feeding.

Why not feed some fall pigs as outlined, this winter?

IDEAL SHELTER FOR WINTER

Tightly Built Shed, With Open Front on South Side Where Cows May Come and Go, is Best.

(By J. MONTGOMERY, Minnesota Agricultural Experiment Station.)

As the pastures dry up and cold weather approaches, the question of how to care for the growing colts through the winter confronts the farmer. Many colts will be taken from pasture with a goodly store of fat only to be turned out to a straw pile for feed and shelter, and will come out next spring lighter in weight than they are this fall. On the other hand, not a



A Young Purebred.

few colts may be ruined by heavy feeding in stalls, where they cannot take exercise.

The ideal shelter for colts is a tightly built shed, open to the south, where the animals may go in and out at their own pleasure, and where they may have the run of a good big field for exercise. Idle farm horses can best be sheltered in the same way. A dry bed and protection from cold winds, snow and rain is all that is needed.

NOTES FOR SHEEP BREEDERS

Flock Should Be Provided With Dry Yard and Shed Floor—Drafty Barn Is Poor Shelter.

Feed the sheep well in early winter. The sheep flock should have access to clean, pure water, even if they don't drink much.

The condition of the fleece next spring depends upon how well the sheep is cared for now.

If you can't provide your flock with a dry yard and shed floor, sell them to your neighbor who can. You will never succeed with a sheep kept in a wet, muddy yard.

An open shed facing the south, with a strawstack on the southwest side, is better than a drafty barn for sheep.

HINTS FOR SWINE BREEDERS

Purchase Boar With Heavy Bones—Feed Some Grain Twice Each Day for the Best Results.

In purchasing a boar it is well to bear in mind that one with heavy bones is more to be desired than one of the slight build.

Nether rape nor clover alone will do for growing, fattening hogs. They must have some grain twice a day for best results.

To make fall pigs do well, they must be provided with warm sleeping quarters at night, and filled with sunshine during the day.

STALLION IS BEST AT WORK

Horse Should Be in Good Physical Condition Before Breeding Season—Exercise Is Needed.

A stallion that is not fit to work is not fit to sire work horses, in the opinion of J. S. Montgomery of the animal husbandry division of the Minnesota College of Agriculture. "The horse should be in good physical condition before the beginning of the breeding season," he says. "Plenty of exercise should be provided. If it is impossible to work the horse, a large stock should be arranged where he can get plenty of exercise."

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TARIFF COMMISSION MUST NOT BE APPOINTED HASTILY.

Altogether Too Important a Body to Be Named Without Proper Consideration—Country Is Quite Willing to Wait.

The impatience of the New York chamber of commerce in urging President Wilson to hurry up with his tariff commission is natural but needless. The president has not forgotten the matter, but he has here a task in which caution and investigation are immeasurably more important than haste.

Next to the Supreme court, the tariff commission will be the most important appointive body in the United States; but unlike the Supreme court, it has to be made up all at once, and there are no natural candidates, like lesser judges, to promote to these new posts. Also, as Mr. Wilson remarked on his visit to Chicago, he asked for a non-partisan commission, and congress gave him a bipartisan commission. Such a change no doubt safeguards the body under a less conscientious president, but it complicates the matter of selecting the first appointees.

The whole country is eager to know the new commissioners—but it is still more eager to trust them. It would rather wait a bit than be sorry.

Voice of the People.

Who ran the Hughes machine into the ditch? The Progressives blame the Old Guard chauffeur, and the Old Guard driver puts it up partly to the Progressive small boys who scattered broken glass on the road, and partly to the passenger who insisted on interfering with the chauffeur. Should the soup kitchens have been opened up earlier in the campaign, or should they have remained closed? On both sides it is taken for granted that the Republicans had the election won, and that had management threw it away. In neither camp is there any seeming inclination to admit that perhaps there was something more fundamental involved than an unskilful chauffeur or a nervous passenger or a bad boy in the middle of the road. When Republicans speak of states that were lost while others were saved, they might ponder the fact that Wilson gained more heavily in "saved" Massachusetts than in "lost" Kansas; more in Michigan than in Washington, more in Maine than in New Mexico. Instead of asking themselves how they managed to lose Kansas, Washington, and New Mexico they might be asking themselves how they succeeded in saving Massachusetts, Michigan and Maine. So far the evidence is that the Republican machine was not ditched at all, but that it ran out of gas.

Wilson's Nonpartisanship.

Criticism of Mr. Wilson's diplomatic appointments and changes played a conspicuous part in the campaign. The president seems to have taken the first opportunity to live up to the nonpartisanship he so often commends. The choice of Mr. Garrett to succeed Doctor Van Dyke as minister to the Netherlands is the best proof he could give that he will do so. Mr. Garrett is a Republican. He has been in the diplomatic service for fifteen years. The reputation is no doubt strong to reward the "deserving" in a majority party, but in a time of world war trained administrators should go to the top of the list.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Where Republicans Failed.

The Republican party in the election failed to realize that we have paid our debts; it did not realize that a new leaf is turned; it did not realize that what a debtor nation may do with impunity in the field of foreign trade would ruin a creditor nation with large masses of its capital in the keeping of other peoples. Yet at this most critical hour of transition in America's world relations, the Republican party's eyes were turned backward upon the past, and its only utterance was a feeble echo of the war cry of a vanished day.

Nothing of Much Importance.

We do not know just what is meant by a "reincarnation of the Progressive party with a new sense of party independence based on the new liberal spirit," but we have an idea that it is a perfectly harmless form of entertainment.

Need for Caution.

The great personal victory of the president was marvelous. He had to gain 1,800,000 votes, and he gained 2,000,000. Hughes made a gain over the Republican vote of 400,000; Wilson gained 2,000,000 over 1912, surely a most remarkable showing. However, the party must not be carried away by the victory. It will seem to all that now is the time to be cautious. The Democrats will be on trial in the next four years more than at any time in the history of the organization.

Would End Republican Party.

Wilbur Marsh of Waterloo, Iowa, treasurer of the Democratic national committee, in an interview a short time ago, said: "I do not claim that the Republican party is dead or dying and that the Democrats have an indefinite lease of life, but I do believe that if it were possible to enforce the corrupt-practices act the Republicans would never elect another president. I believe that had this been possible in the recent election Wilson would have been elected."

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ALL IN THE FAMILY

By EARL REED SILVERS.

The carriage rounded the last turn and started the long, upward climb. On the very peak of the hill the Fern-
dale house stood out clearly against the blue of the late August sky. Lawrence Wellington gazed with interest upon the scene of his future activities.

"The place looks to be just about right," he muttered. "The only question now is the girls."
The carriage drew to a halt, and a colored porter hurried down the steps. The porter miraculously burdened himself with a suitcase, a golf bag, a tennis racket, and some fishing tackle, and led the way into the hotel. Sitting in one of the comfortably-upholstered chairs near the door was a girl. She was very much the same as most of the other girls who frequent exclusive summer hotels, but to the new arrival she appeared different. As he entered, she looked up casually, and for a moment her glance met his. Suddenly into her eyes came the light of recognition. She rose and stepped toward him, her hand extended.

"How are you, Milton?" Her voice expressed unexpected pleasure and delight. "I had no idea you were coming to Ferndale."

Lawrence took the outstretched hand and shook it heartily. If a hint of surprised delight was in his eyes, the girl did not notice it.

"I didn't tell anyone I was coming," he said. "It was a sort of surprise."

"Well, I'm glad, anyhow. How long are you going to stay?"

"Until October."

She clasped her hands delightedly. "So am I. Isn't that fine?"

"It sure is." His voice matched hers in enthusiasm. "What are you going to do this afternoon?"

"Nothing."

"Will you wait until I unpack a bit and then go canoeing with me?" His glance strayed to the shadowed lake.

"Why, yes. But I'll have to dress first."

"All right; I'll see you later, then."

"I'll be back in twenty minutes."

With a bright smile, she turned and entered the waiting elevator. Lawrence addressed the impassive porter.

"Instant," he said, "I'll give you 50 cents extra if you tell me the name of that young lady."

"She ain't Miss Marjorie Sherwood," the negro announced, grinning. "She done come from Beach Haven, New Jersey."

"Oh, I remember now!" Lawrence smiled broadly.

He was waiting on the porch when Marjorie made her appearance. She was dressed in a white sport costume, with a soft straw hat which drooped like a sunbonnet.

When they were well out in the center of the lake she looked at him with a hint of reproach in her eyes.

"Why didn't you tell me you were coming?" she asked.

"I didn't know it until yesterday," he answered. "And then it was too late."

"Why haven't you answered my letter?"

"What letter?"

"Why, the one about the house party on Thanksgiving day."

He looked at her in mock dismay. "I never got it."

"Honestly?"

"Honestly and truly." He crossed his heart in evident sincerity. "Where did you send it?"

"To New York, of course."

"I haven't been in New York in a month," he announced triumphantly. "Of course I didn't get it."

She looked at him in amazement. "You haven't been in New York in a month?"

"No; I've been down in Baltimore."

A puzzled frown came over the girl's face. She bent forward and looked intently at her companion.

"You wrote me from New York just two weeks ago," she said.

He slapped his knee and tried to look relieved.

"By George, so I did!" he answered. "I had stopped over in New York for the day."

"But you told me you had been working in the city all through July," she persisted, "and didn't have a chance to get away."

For a moment he looked over the water, trying to think of a way out of his peculiar dilemma. The girl was looking at him curiously. He realized that the jig was up.

"Who do you think I am?" he asked, suddenly.

"Why, Milton Wellington, of course."

A twinkle played about the corner of his eyes, but his face was serious.

"I have been deceiving you," he announced. "I am not Milton Wellington at all."

She looked at him in utter wonder. "I'm Milton's twin brother."

It took him the rest of the afternoon to persuade her that she should forgive him for his imposture. But when the sun was sinking beyond the towering hill to the west, and the shadows fell quietly over the waters of the lake, she softened.

"Maybe I will forgive you," she said. "But it wasn't a very nice thing to do, was it?"

He smiled into her eyes.

"No," he answered. "But it's all in the family, you know. It doesn't make so much difference, does it?"

She smiled back.

"Yes, it does," her lips answered. But her eyes said "No."

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